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In re Application of Barry N. Kreiswirth et al.					
		Application Number	10/073,256	Filed February 13, 2002	
		For SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR TRACKING AND CONTROLLING INFECTIONS			
		Art Unit 1631	Examiner C	. Ly	
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